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CO. ACCEPTS OFFER FOR WATERWORKS

PURCHASE TO BE RATIFIED BY SPECIAL ELECTION

The principal work of the village council at its last regular meeting was to formulate an offer to be made to Salling Hanson Company for the purchase of their waterworks system. The offer was considered by the directors at their monthly meeting held here last week Wednesday and the offer was formally accepted.

The correspondence that led up to the final transaction appears incorporated with the official record of the council proceedings and is published below. We are sure it will be of considerable interest to the property owners of the village and also very enlightening.

The next step will be to arrange for the special election to ratify the purchase of the system by the people. The present owners will discontinue their lumbering here in a short time when the service will be discontinued. In order to avoid any delay or interruption of the water service the village council hopes to present the matter before the voters soon. The plans of the council are quite well outlined in their letters to the community.

RECORD OF VILLAGE COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Present: H. Petersen, president; Trustees Thomas Cassidy, Emil Giegling, A. L. Roberts, E. G. Shaw and George W. McCullough.

Absent: T. P. Peterson.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Report of finance committee read as follows:

To the President and members of the Common Council of the Village of Grayling: Your committee on finance, claims and accounts respectfully recommend that the accompanying bills be allowed as follows:

1—Alfred Hanson, Invoice May 1st, 1927. \$18.83
2—M. A. Bates, invoice April 1, 1927, rental to June 30th. 12.50
3—Fire report, residence of J. Sherman, April 24th. 15.00
4—Fire report, Grayling Dovel Co., April 21st. 11.00
5—Julius Nelson, payroll ending April 9th, 1927. 19.60
6—Julius Nelson, payroll ending April 15th, 1927. 69.00
7—Julius Nelson, payroll ending April 22nd, 1927. 54.00
8—Julius Nelson, payroll ending April 29th, 1927. 93.15
9—Mrs. Keyport & Clippert, invoice April 30th, 1927. 80.00
10—Salling Hanson Co., invoice April 30th, 1927. 3.10
Signed,
E. GIEGLING,
G. W. McCULLOUGH,
Committee.

Item No. 9 to be referred to Board of Supervisors for adjustment. Moved by A. L. Roberts and supported by E. G. Shaw that our Company under date of the finance committee be accepted, a proposition comprising our entire system, and the clerk be instructed to draw Water Works system, including orders for the amounts. Yea and nays and pump house at a price of

nay vote called. All members present voting yea. Motion carried.

Moved by Thomas Cassidy and supported by E. Giegling that the bill of \$39.68 for the board and room of Alden Pagel, at the county infirmary, be paid and a bill be presented to the Board of Supervisor's for reimbursement. All members present voting yea. Motion carried.

To the President and members of the Common Council: Your committee on finance to whom was referred the matter of the amount necessary to be raised in the several funds for village expenses for the ensuing year respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and investigation and do herewith respectfully recommend that the amounts stated below be authorized to be spread on the taxable property of the village of Grayling for the year 1927; to wit:

General Contingent fund..... 1 1/4%

Highway fund..... 1/2%

Sewer fund..... None

In making this recommendation our committee is anticipating that next year it will be necessary for a waterworks and this should permit doing so without undue embarrassment.

EMIL GIEGLING,
GEO. W. McCULLOUGH,
Committee

Moved by Giegling and supported by McCullough that the report be accepted and adopted. All members present voting yea. Motion carried.

Petition of Nellie Palmer estate for extension of sewer, referred to the committee on sewers for investigation and to report at the next meeting.

The president appointed the following members of the common council to serve on the board of review: A. Roberts and George W. McCullough.

A letter from the Salling Hanson Company regarding the purchasing of their waterworks system was read. After giving it very careful consideration a motion was made by Roberts and supported by Shaw that an offer of five thousand dollars for their entire waterworks system, including all mains, pumps, pump house and pumping equipment, be submitted to them for their approval and subsequent ratification by the qualified voters of the village of Grayling. This offer was made in lieu of their offer of ten thousand dollars for their system. All members present voting yea. Motion carried.

Moved by Giegling and supported by McCullough that the clerk be instructed to draw an order for \$25.00

for the Grayling Post No. 106 of the American Legion, for Memorial day expenses. All members present voting yea. Motion carried.

Application of R. W. Chappel for caretaker at the tourist park placed on file for future consideration.

Moved by Giegling and supported by Cassidy that the board adjourn.

ROY O. MILNES,
Village Clerk.

H. PETERSEN,
Village President.

Grayling, Michigan, May 2, 1927.

Mr. Hans Petersen, Pres.,

Village Council,

Grayling, Michigan.

Dear Sir:

In January of this year the Village Council inquired regarding price on our Water Works system. In reply to

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THURSDAY, MAY 19, 1927

Local News

Buoy full fashioned, pure silk hose for \$1.50 at Olson's.

Ice Cream Lollies, real food value, 5¢.

The Sweet Shop.

Ladies, I can now show you the new Black heeled Chiffon Hose at the Gift Shop.

Redson & Cooley.

Mrs. Floyd McClain and son Jerry left Tuesday for Bay City where they will be guests of Mrs. P. P. Mahoney for a few days.

Mrs. Beatrice Cameron, who is in training at St. Mary's hospital in Cadillac, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hoessl and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wakeley are the happy parents of a baby girl born May 15th. The little lady's name has not yet been decided on.

The machinery to be used in the finishing touches of the Grayling golf course has arrived, and we are informed that we will soon be able to use same.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion will be held at the Legion hall next Tuesday evening, May 24th. All members try and be present.

Mrs. Elsie Pettit is taking care of the Blanche Beauty shop during the absence of Mrs. Blanche Hull, who is in Flint taking up a course in permanent waving.

Mrs. Minnie Daugherty has moved into her new quarters at Shoppenagon Inn, and is getting nicely settled. The place has been newly decorated and surely makes good showing.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles J. McCann are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter at Mercy Hospital early Tuesday morning. The little Miss will be known as Marguerite Kay.

Mrs. Hansine Hanson, daughters Misses Ingelborg and Mildred, and son Marius left this morning for Big Rapids to attend the graduation exercises of the pharmacy class of Ferris Institute, Herman Hanson, son of Mrs. Hanson, being a member of the class.

Mrs. Victor Smith, Mrs. Dell Walt and Mrs. Joseph MacLeod will leave Wednesday for Alpena where they will attend a meeting of the Wolverine Association of the Eastern Star. Mrs. Walt and Mrs. MacLeod will represent Grayling Lodge and will take part in the work at that place.

William Krage of Fletcher passed away at Cadillac Tuesday after a lingering illness. Mr. Krage was well known in Grayling among the merchants, coming here for years to do trading and deliver farm products. The funeral was held this morning from the Sorenson Bros. undertaking parlors.

Mrs. Ambrose McClain expects to leave with her two grandsons, Jack and F. J. Jr. for Bay City Friday to spend the week end with friends at that place. They will be accompanied home by Mrs. Floyd McClain who has been visiting with Mrs. P. P. Mahoney for a few days.

Mrs. Tracy Nelson was pleasantly surprised last Friday night when a party of her friends dropped in to remind her that it was her birthday. The evening was enjoyed playing cards, after which a delicious two course lunch was served. Mrs. Nelson was presented with a lovely gift.

Miss Jean Peterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peterson, sold the greatest number of tags on tag day, held Saturday, May 14th, by the primary department of the Michelson Memorial Sunday school. Miss Jean sold forty tags, turning in the sum of nine dollars and fifty cents for her afternoon's effort. The day was rather a wet one, so the little ones of that department have decided to renew their efforts again Saturday, May 21, when they will hold another tag day. They solicit your help which will be greatly appreciated, as they are greatly in need of a children's library in their department.

A big shipment of bran-new house slippers just arrived at Olson's.



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Meats purchased from our carefully selected stock are thoroughly enjoyed by every member of the family.

Mary Jane Cottage Cheese should be on every table.

Burrow's Market
Phone No. 2.

If you haven't eaten any Ice Cream Lollies, you are missing a treat. Get them at the Sweet Shop.

Wear the latest Hose—Black Heels are it. Redson & Cooley have them:

Mr. and Mrs. Eborn Olson and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peterson and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Burnham enjoyed a pot luck dinner at the Mrs. Alice Kailing farm in Beaver Creek.

Little Joan Montour, youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. David Montour, took suddenly ill with convulsions Tuesday and was hurried to Mercy Hospital. The little Miss is getting along as well as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Smith of Bay City, parents of Mrs. Victor Smith, are preparing on spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Smith while here Mr. Smith will consult Dr. Keyport in regard to his health.

Mrs. Celia Granger and son Howard are enjoying a motor trip through many cities in Michigan, also expecting to visit with the Klingensmith family at Shefield, Pennsylvania and take in the sights at Niagara Falls while away.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lydick arrived this morning from Dayton, Ohio, to spend the summer at Lake Margarette at the Richards cottage. Mrs. Richards is expected to come later for her annual sojourn at her summer home.

The George Sorenson automobile, being driven by Mrs. Sorenson, was badly damaged Monday afternoon when George Granger, who was backing away from the curb, backed into her car while she was driving same down main street.

Grayling Post 106 American Legion are making preparations for the observance of Memorial day in Grayling. As yet their plans have not been completed, but the entire program will appear in next week's issue of the Avalanche. Memorial Day is Monday, May 30th.

Miss Salling, music teacher in our schools, is directing another delightful operetta that will be given Friday evening, May 27th, in the school auditorium. Those who attended the operetta last year will remember what a splendid success it was. The title of the one to be given May 27th is "The Love Pirates of Hawaii," and will be presented by the High School Glee club.

The ladies of American Legion Auxiliary have extended the time in which to gather clothing for the Mississippi flood sufferers until the end of this week. And so the Legion hall will be open each afternoon from 1:00 until 4:30 o'clock where you may take your bundles or you may phone No. 934, and they will be called for. Anyone having cast off clothing of any kind is asked to please remember the flood sufferers.

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The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Michelson Memorial church met with Mrs. Gilmore at the E. A. Mason home on Wednesday afternoon. The annual election of officers for the ensuing year took place, the following being chosen: Mrs. R. D. Bailey, president; Mrs. N. O. Corwin, vice president; Mrs. Victoria Smith, secretary; Mrs. Emil Niederer, treasurer; Mrs. John Zeder, financial manager.

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Farm Bureau Notes

R. D. Bailey, Co. Agricultural Agent



"A good part of agriculture is to learn how to adapt ones work to nature, to fit the crop scheme to the climate and to the soil and the facilities. To live in right relation with his natural conditions is one of the first lessons that a wise farmer, or any other wise man learns." — L. H. Bailey in "The Holy Earth."

Mr. A. G. Weidemann of the Agricultural College has been here planting root crops on the state demonstration farm. He will return about the last week in May for the purpose of planting corn and potatoes.

Nels Knudsen has built a small barn and had a good drive well put down on his farm in Beaver Creek. He has bought a forty adjoining his original land on the east.

Tony Nelson has been making the pine stumps fly on the Dave Raymond farm which he now owns.

Allen B. Failing is running his Beaver Creek farm this year. He, too, is taking out every stump as it comes to it, in the piece that he limed five years ago. He plans to stump

and lime a generous area each year.

An interesting thing about lime occurred on the Failing farm this spring: Al had given the east side of the farm a proper liming five years ago. This spring it was necessary to know whether there is lime enough left in the soil to make it safe to risk alfalfa seed there, so he did just what the county agent has so insistently urged all our farmers—Test; any farmer, even the poorest, don't guess."

We tested the soil in 15 to 20 cuse to say: "Aw yes, Bailey has places and found that sufficient lime some good ideas, but they are away apparently left even after five years."

As many will recall, I have been telling right along that a proper liming is good for 8 to 10 years.

Will Treat the Seed

The seed potatoes that we will plant on the state demonstration farm at Grayling this spring will be soaked 30 minutes in the corrosive sublimate solution, as other years, to prevent scab and several other diseases.

We hand-selected the seed last fall at digging time by taking the most ideal potatoes from the highest

yielding hills. We have done this each fall.

Both the hand selecting and the soaking are only what every potato grower in the county should do.

On the state farm we have applied 16 ton of agricultural lime and one ton of commercial fertilizer to four acres of good alfalfa sod that we plowed under last fall. We have done this to aid in securing a long lived field.

We shall plant corn there this spring of the Minnesota No. 18 variety for the purpose of cleaning up the ground by cultivation and hand hoeing. In the spring of 1928 probably half will be sowed to Grimm alfalfa and half to Hardigan alfalfa, both of which will be inoculated, of course.

Homer Annie has begun work on his new house on the home farm in Beaver Creek.

Four Things

With all our plannings and doings, there are four things that none of us farmers should fail to do this spring: (1) Put in at least an acre of foder corn near the barn to cut green for feed, day by day; (2) to plant a generous acreage of root crops; (3) fence in an acre lot near the barn as a night lot for the cows this summer; (4) sow an acre of rape for hog pasture.

All these are moves towards good farming and are within the reach of what the county agent has so insisted.

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Please Explain

I shall be thankful for information as to why so many insist upon dividing

when plowing.

In the Saginaw valley, the "Thumb," etc., the frequent dead furrows resulting from these "lands" are a help in drainage. We do not need them here. Many say, "What difference does it make anyhow? It all has got to be plowed, anyway."

Yes, but not that way. Every time you cut off a "land," you make an extra set of corners to turn. It takes time and strength to turn corners. It makes more dead furrows and back furrows to bump over with all tools used in that field.

The first time one of our fields is plowed, a back furrow should be started in the center. The plowing should finish with the whiffle trees just missing the fence on the four sides. The finished field will then have the beautiful appearance of containing just one back furrow and no dead furrows.

When next plowed, the plowman should begin on the outside and plow "round and round," and finish in the center. There will then be one dead furrow and no back furrows.

When finishing a field by this latter method, the plow should be thrown onto its right side and a trip made up and down and up and down again, with the mould board drawing in soil to fill the dead furrow, while the left hand handle is firmly held with the left hand. These two round trips can be made to fill the dead furrow nearly level.

To Give Away

In the agent's office there is a "settee," on which we keep a lot of good things to give away—books, papers, magazines and bulletins. Do you get your share?

Whitewash

This is one of the times of the year when a good coat of whitewash benefits the henhouse, pig pen, stable, etc.

The agent's office can and will furnish directions for making good, cheap whitewashes to those who call, write or telephone, asking for the recipe.

Make Sure

It is unwise to send money away for day-old chicks to any place not listed in the list of "Accredited Hatcheries," now in the agent's office, prepared by the poultry department of our agricultural college.

Livestock in Farm Wood Lot Hinders Timber Development

The farm wood lot is more valuable as a producer of wood than as a pasture for livestock, according to C. R. Tillotson, forester of the United States Department of Agriculture. A year's forage production in the average wood lot is estimated to be worth from 25 cents to \$1.25 an acre. At the same time a well managed wood lot will add from one-half to 1 cord of wood. In addition there is the convenience of having a supply of cord wood, poles, posts, and lumber near at hand.

Livestock eat and break down the young growth, bend it, strip it of bark, and tramp it out. Also by trampling the soil around the roots of older trees they pack it so tightly that air and water are excluded from the roots, and the trees gradually die. Hogs eat the seeds of oak and beech and thus interfere with the establishment of seedlings. Heavily pastured woods are easily recognized; they are almost entirely devoid of bushy undergrowth; a sod grass has begun to grow in, and the old trees are beginning to die in the tops.

Livestock undoubtedly benefit from the shelter afforded by woods. Two or three acres, however, will ordinarily give them all the shelter they need; the remainder of the woods had better be fenced off to grow a good wood crop.

Watch Elimination!

Good Health Depends Upon Good Elimination.

REENTION of bodily waste in the blood is called a "toxic condition." This often gives rise to a dull, languid feeling and, sometimes, toxic backaches and headaches. That the kidneys are not functioning properly is often shown by burning or scanty passage of secretions. Thounds have learned to assist their kidneys by drinking plenty of pure water and the occasional use of a stimulant diuretic. 50,000 users give Doan's signed endorsement. Ask your neighbor!

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Health News

(By the County Nurse)

Yes sir! Another baby clinic this week. And speaking of baby clinics makes me think of the little boy who asked his mother if a "book of directions" came with the new baby. The question voiced, with the unconscious wisdom of childhood, a thought that has occurred to many a parent and to many a medical sage.

You know when you get a washing machine at the electrical shop, or a new automobile, or a new stove from the hardware store, you are given a number of pamphlets telling how to use it so that it will work in the best possible fashion and how to repair it if any of its parts slip out of gear.

Not so when you get a new baby. Yet no machine could be more delicate than the human body, and still many a woman accepts the responsibility of caring for a baby without getting any professional advice at all.

The doctor, whom we can compare to the expert mechanic, can be called in when the fragile little system gets out of order. Often he can repair it, but there is a substitution of new parts if these become badly damaged.

The machine either fails to work and death results, or the little one grows up with his health permanently impaired. The best gift a child can receive from his parents is a sound body and much can be done to insure this by correct care when he is a baby. This is the reason for the baby clinics each month. It provides a check-up, just as you take your car to the garage regularly to be looked over and the necessary small corrections made.

Baby must be kept in good running order also.

One hears a great deal about "maternal instinct," a term that has been harped upon for generations and extolled as a guide for raising families.

It is also used as an excuse for parental crimes against health. "Oh, let the darling have a little coffee, it won't hurt her any," a fond mother will say. Now, you can't blame her for loving the child, but she does deserve blame for running the risk of damaging the child's heart through a developed taste for the drug. As long as mothers give coffee to little children and deliberately expose them to measles, mumps and like diseases to "get them over with," maternal instinct can justly be condemned.

If baby could choose for himself in this important issue of ultimate health he would demand that the doctor supply him with a "book of directions."

Booklets dealing with child welfare prepared by child specialist authorities can be had at a minimum cost from two reliable sources—the Children's Bureau of the United States Government and the American Child Health Association. Information regarding prices, none of which exceed fifteen cents, may be had from the writer at any time. Mothers who come to clinics will tell you that I have given them interesting, practical literature from the State Department of Health. Perhaps they will tell you how often I expound my pet phrase, "Better babies mean better children; better children mean better grown-ups," which I apply in regard to mind, spirit and body.

Doris Winchell, R. N., Crawford County Nurse.

GRADE CROSSING ESSAY CONTEST

Concerned over the increase that took place in 1926 compared with 1925 in the number of highway grade crossing accidents and believing that more care should be exercised by everyone crossing railroad tracks, the American Railway Association announces plans for a nation-wide essay contest among school and college students. Three cash prizes of \$250 each will be awarded to the authors of essays containing an outstanding, readily available suggestion for preventing such accidents.

One prize of \$250 will be awarded by the American Railway Association for the best essay by a grammar student, a similar prize for the best essay by a high school student and a like amount for the best essay by a college student.

Under the rules prescribed by the American Railway Association, the subject of the essay is to be "Crossings Cautiously," and each essay is to be limited to 250 words.

Constructive Suggestions Required

The essays must be terse, logical and constructive and must stress the need for greater care in approaching and passing over the railroad crossings.

The essays are to be sent to J. C. Caviston, secretary of the Safety Section of the American Railway Association at 30 Vesey Street, New York City, by not later than June 1.

Three persons of national reputation, to be selected later, will act as the judges.

Under the plan, class teachers in both grammar and high schools will select the best essays from their classes and transmit them to their principal, who will then select the best one from that school and send it to the superintendent of schools for the county or an equivalent officer. The county superintendent will then select the best essay written by a grammar student and the best one written by a high school student in his county and will transmit them to the American Railway Association.

Colleges may follow the same procedure except that each college or university, through its proper officer, may select one essay and transmit direct to the American Railway Association.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Walmer Jorgenson, a bachelor, to Frank P. Jorgenson, dated the 5th day of January A. D. 1924, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Crawford and state of Michigan, on the 11th day of January A. D. 1924 in Liber H of mortgages, on page 563, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of six hundred sixty-seven and 41-100 dollars, and an attorney's fee of thirty-five dollars, as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday, the 25th day of June A. D. 1927, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the court house, in the village of Grayling, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Crawford is held, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, with all the appurtenances thereto belonging, to the person entitled to the same, and the title to the same, and the right to use and occupy the same, and the right to collect all rents and profits therefrom, and to have and hold the same in fee simple absolute.

Clouds envelope an airplane in a steamy fog. They should be dodged when possible, because the pilot cannot see his brain in time to correct a sideslip or a "stall," the gift of nature alone. So are eyes that can judge speed and distance with unerring accuracy. By the latter qualifications the novice learns both to "take-off" his machine and to make a safe landing.

Navigation is a science. Before a cross-country flight the pilot ascertains the velocity of the wind. He then calculates its approximate strength at the height which he has chosen for his flight, say 2,000 feet. The velocity at this height is just about double the velocity of the wind on the ground.

It also blows in a slightly different direction and the pilot must allow for this "veering angle." He then obtains the mean compass bearing to his objective after adding or deducting the angle which represents the force of the wind.

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Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Walmer Jorgenson, a single man, to Celia Granger, dated the 18th day of May A. D. 1922, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Crawford and state of Michigan, on the 18th day of May A. D. 1922 in Liber H of mortgages, on page 345, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of Seventeen hundred forty-nine and 99-100 dollars, and an attorney's fee of thirty-five dollars, as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

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DESCRIPTION OF LAND

Northwest quarter of the Northeast

quarter, Section 20, Town 28N,

Range 3W. Amount paid: \$22.82, tax for 1922; \$9.76, tax for 1923; \$8.36, tax for 1924; \$8.28, tax for 1925; \$6.00, tax for 1926.

West half of the Northwest quarter,

Section 20, Town 28N, Range 3W.

Amount paid: \$18.55, tax for 1922;

\$16.72, tax for 1923; \$16.72, tax for 1924; \$16.57, tax for 1925; \$12.03, tax for 1926.

Amount necessary to redeem,

John Bruun. Place of business,

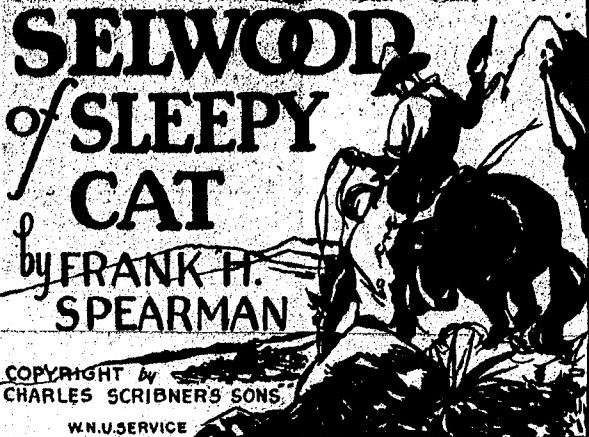
Grayling, Mich.

To John A. Smith, last grantee in

the regular chain title of such lands

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THE STORY

CHAPTER I.—At Sleepy Cat Doctor Carp tells Wentworth, the betting boss, of a shooting scrap in Bartoe's gambling den, in which John Selwood, gambler, in defense of his wounded partner, Dave Tracy, shows remarkable skill and nerve.

CHAPTER II.—A year afterward, Selwood, now Wentworth's representative at Sleepy Cat, driving a team of horses, is captured by a man whose wagon has mired in a creek. He helps get the outfit clear, after picking up a girl's shoe and seen and reacted by the owner, who is there in Fyler's (the settler's) wagon. Moses McCracken, a youth, is robbed of \$100 in a Sleepy Cat gambling den. His mother, McAlpin, Selwood's birth mother, tells McAlpin, Selwood's birth

CHAPTER III.—McAlpin, himself powerless, informs Selwood of the robbery and sends him to the swindling Bartoe and Atkins, to return the money.

CHAPTER IV.—Starbuck, head of the group, who has been demonstrating with Selwood and is sharply rebuffed. Fyler opens a dry goods store, with "Big Haynes" rung in mock auction. With wood in woods in the plain, Bill Pardaloe, young McCracken's uncle, is engaged to help him recover. Fyler is lost, is located after Margaret Hyde, woman of mystery, housekeeper at Doctor Carp's hotel. Selwood, later, finds Fyler's mother, who turned up is Christie, Fyler's daughter.

CHAPTER V.—Selwood makes Christie's acquaintance and warns Fyler that Atkins is a crook. The storekeeper refuses to believe it. Starbuck, however, is won over to him, with Christie. The girl's mind is poisoned against Selwood.

CHAPTER VI.—Fyler is beaten and robbed. Christie, seeking Doctor Carp, meets Atkins and informs him that Atkins has thrown her father out of his store, claiming to own it. Fyler is not badly hurt. Her father has lost money, but is not seriously injured, though he has been beaten. Selwood, she hates all gamblers. Selwood advertises for information of an old missionary padre, who was last seen with Harry Pardaloe and Bob Scott, Indian in Selwood's employ, the latter makes preparations to dislodge Atkins from Fyler's store.

CHAPTER VII.—Christie warns Selwood of threats made by Starbuck, also that he had asked her to marry him. Selwood argues. With his two sons, he and Scott drives Atkins and Harry from Fyler's store.

CHAPTER VIII.—Starbuck tells Christie Selwood is a gambler, and on her questioning him, he admits it, but declares he is "square," while Starbuck and his cronies are not. The girl is not satisfied with his explanation.

CHAPTER IX.—Following a poker game with General Roper, Selwood discloses the fact that the old soldier is his grandfather. Selwood declares Roper, then Fort, commandant before Selwood, is still his hero. Like Harry Roper, Selwood's father, to death at the hands of Indians, and refused to acknowledge a marriage he had taken place with his wife, a child of Roper.

CHAPTER X.—Carp warns Selwood the Vigilantes intend to clean up the town. Selwood, known as a square gambler, is not impressed, but the Vigilantes are. Seeing the gang of crooks Selwood refuses to take, Tracy's safety in the coming混up, he tries to win the favor of the old veterans to seek safety.

CHAPTER XI.—Selwood drags Tracy and with Pardaloe and Scott, gets him across the river to safety. Returning home, he finds the Vigilantes at work and Christie missing. Acting on resolution he had made to quit the career of a gambler, Selwood deliberately burns down business and returns to Tracy.

CHAPTER XII.—McAlpin comes to Selwood with news that the Vigilantes had been routed by Starbuck's crowd and that Carp is looking for him for Christie's safety. Selwood, with his party, returns to Sleepy Cat. He is unable to find Christie, but rallies his forces and sets out with the crooks.

CHAPTER XIII.—Selwood makes his way by stealth into Bartoe's den, without being detected. Favored by the excitement in the headquarters of the old soldiers, he succeeds in convincing Harry Barbanet, prominent among the crooks, and making him lead the way to a room where he believes Christie and other prisoners are confined.

The mule boss took him under the armpits, that Selwood's hands might be free, lifted him, and the next moment Selwood, watching the nearest men closely, stood inside the room with his feet on the floor. Pardaloe quickly rebuked the curtain.

It was the work of the next moment for Selwood to reach and sink into an empty chair opposite the sleepy man, and, peering from under his cap, to study the scene.

The interior of the place, of notorious repute even among case-hardened men, was not wholly unfamiliar to Selwood, nor had it changed much in the long interval since he had seen it. Neither Bunt nor Atkins was in sight, and Selwood's nervous glance searched the room rapidly for a sight of the one man he had taken a desperate chance to see—Starbuck. Men came at intervals out of the back room, but each one closed the door most carefully behind him. It was there, Selwood soon found reason to believe, that the leaders were closeted.

To attempt the inner room meant, he knew, a showdown. Whatever eyes might be fooled in the front room, those in the back room would not be long in discovering his identity. But with a fatality either temperamental or due to his chance-taking career, Selwood made ready to penetrate the second room in a search for Starbuck.

He pushed guardedly at the head of the man opposite him and found after a little fussing that he was fast asleep. The man wore about his neck a bandanna kerchief, and this, Selwood, keeping his eyes well on those about him, gradually disengaged with one hand-twisting it around to where he could loose the knot and draw it from the man's neck. His victim having taken this liberty good-naturedly, Selwood doffed McAlpin's queer-looking cap at a moment that no eyes were turned his way, and after another moment tried on the sleeping man's hat. It fitted well enough, and he did not take it off; but proceeding slowly, keeping a clear eye on the men nearest, and

tensed, "this is the second time, Harry."

"I noticed you had a long arm on when I patted you," responded Barbanet, less amably.

"Not for my friends, Harry—there's a good many strangers in town to-night. Open the barber-shop door, Harry—do it quick."

"There's two men behind it with shotguns."

"They're friendly—you're walking right in there ahead of me. Go on! The way we stand now, there's not a man in this room that could tell whose gun went off if you got hurt, Harry. Open that door!"

No frontier crook in his senses would choose certain death before a fighting chance. Barbanet knew perfectly well the alternative. Selwood might not himself escape, but his fate would no longer interest Harry. With ill grace, but without imprudent delay, Barbanet advanced to the door, his left wrist gripped in Selwood's left hand.

"Key's in my left-hand pants pocket. Let loose my wrist."

"What's a right-hand man doing with a key in his left-hand pocket?" asked Selwood. "Page," he added, pulling Barbanet's arm back, "take the key out of Barbanet's right pants pocket and unlock that door, quick."

"Page," interjected Barbanet, jerking the words out viciously, "you'd better keep out of this."

Bull Page grinned brokenly. Perhaps the remembrance of old abuse at Barbanet's hands—the times he had come thirsty and broke, and gone from Barbanet's bar thirsty and broke, decided him. At all events, after a rapid search, Bull found the key in Barbanet's right-hand trouser pocket, unlocked the door, pushed it open, and Barbanet, followed by Selwood and Bull, passed through into the barber-shop.

CHAPTER XIV

Selwood Finds Christie.

The barber-shop was dark. "What are you looking for," asked Barbanet, lazily sarcastic, "soap or towels?"

"Two men with shotguns," retorted Selwood, while Page fished a match from his pocket and lighted a lamp. "It may be they're in the back room; push ahead; open that door in front of you."

"Another man's got the key to that door," asserted Barbanet, surly now. "You'll have to talk to Starbuck about that."

Selwood, without raising his tone, tried out a double-edged bluntness—one that would work either way. "Bull!" he said. "Go back to Starbuck. Tell him Barbanet wants the key to the barber-shop back room. He may give you an evasive answer. If he does, tell him Barbanet is in trouble in the back room; push ahead; open that door in front of you."

"If he follows you back, Bull," continued Selwood carelessly, "come as far as the door with him. Keep out of the shop here till the smoke sets in."

Bull nodded. "I understand."

"If you know what's good for your hide, Bull," interposed Barbanet, "don't take any talk like that to Cliff Starbuck. Don't play traitor to Starbuck. He'll kill you—or I will."

"Why, Harry," said Bull Page, asserting what manhood Barbanet's whisky had left him—and though his deep, throaty voice shook, there was no hesitation, no fear in his utterance—"what do you think I'm talking about? Do you think I'm afraid of you—or your kind? What have you ever done for me but fill me with poison when I come to town with money from the mines, you snake!"

Had Bull, the derelict, sold him out—disclosed Selwood's presence and told what he knew of his intentions?

His apprehension thus fairly well assuaged, he made his way in easy measure toward the rear end of the room, where the crowd was thicker. He had approached within a dozen feet of the back-room door and was thinking of just how he should maneuver an entrance, when it was suddenly opened, and out walked Harry Barbanet, followed by the redoubtable Bull Page, whose eyes showed mild stimulation.

The moment was delicate. To turn quickly away would only be, he well knew, to excite suspicion and even invite particular inspection; the utmost Selwood could do was to interrupt a conversation near at hand and ask whether the doctor had come.

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LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, MAY 19, 1927

Mrs. Frank Sales is busy taking the school census for 1928.

Miss Mable Shippy spent the week end visiting friends in Gaylord.

James Hartwick of Detroit is spending a few days in Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. David White are moving into their home on Fig street.

Charlie Papenfus is driving a new Chevrolet coach purchased from Frank Tetu, local dealer.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Neiderer and family motored to Bay City Sunday and spent the day.

Beauty that thrills in Iron Clad hosey at \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00 at Olson's.

Men's Rain Coats with Rain Hats for the usual price of the Rain Coat at the Economy Store.

Leave your appointments at Shop Inn, phone 65, for May 25 and 26 for permanent wave.

Emerson Brown is home for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Brown and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Marius Hanson and family are enjoying a new Buick Master Six, four passenger coupe.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Nelson have moved into the house formerly occupied by Rev. J. H. Baughan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Maxwell accompanied Mr. Maxwell's parents to Lewiston Sunday where they will reside.

Ice Cream Lolly, real food value. Women's arch support slippers in all styles and prices at Olson's. Whitman's Candy and Lambert's Chocolates Direct from factories, always fresh at Central Drug Store. Beautiful line of Ladies Rain Coats, priced so reasonable at the Economy Store next to Opera House. Frank Tetu, Fred Alexander and Leo Schram went to Flint last week end and drove back three new Chevrolet cars.

Holger Hanson, cashier of the Grayling bank, is enjoying a few days vacation with friends and relatives in Detroit.

One of the large billboards at the opera house was blown down Tuesday noon during the heavy windstorm that passed over here.

Mr. R. Hanson has been under the care of a doctor for a few days, and at present is confined to his bed with a nurse in attendance.

Lieut. Russell E. Bates and family sailed Tuesday for the Philippine Islands, where the former has been assigned for duty by Uncle Sam.

Mrs. William McEvers and daughter Virginia returned Sunday from a two weeks visit in Pontiac, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Irving Towns.

Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen are enjoying a visit from Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Younken and son Robert of Williamsport, Pa., who will be here for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Cripps and Ben Landsberg expect to motor to Detroit Sunday. Mr. Cripps has been called down for a government medical examination.

The High School Glee club is working on an operetta, "The Love Pictures of Hawaii," to be given Friday evening, May 27th, in the high school auditorium. Admission, 15c and 25c.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ahman and daughter Lillian motored to East Jordan Sunday and spent the day visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Strehl and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Heric and Mr. and Mrs. John Matthiesen motored to East Tawas Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Heric's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Nielsen and family.

Word has been received from Miss Fern Hum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hum, who left a week ago to spend a short time with her sister Emma, that she is sick in Ford hospital, Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Huber drove to Detroit Sunday in their new Chevrolet coach. They were accompanied by Mrs. E. N. Darveau, and Mrs. J. W. Letzku, who spent the week end visiting relatives and friends.

E. W. Creque Sr., and a friend, Mr. Wilson of Flint, are enjoying a sojourn at the former's cabin on the main stream. They were accompanied here by the former's son, E. W. Creque Jr., who remained over Sunday.

Any cast-off clothing you may have will be welcomed by the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion, who are getting clothing ready to send to the Mississippi flood sufferers. Phone 934 for particulars.

See the Poppy film at the Grayling Opera House next Saturday and Sunday evenings, which Mr. Olson is showing free of charge in connection with his regular show, to assist the Woman's Auxiliary in their sale of poppies.

Monday evening, Mrs. Ernest Borchers entertained her bridge club at dinner, it being the last party of the season. The dinner table was adorned with a bowl filled with cut flowers. First prize for bridge was awarded to Mrs. William Heric, consolation to Miss Mable Shippy. Guests of the club were Miss Matilda Stephan and Miss Mable Shippy.

Rev. W. Greenwood of Akron, Michigan, who was recently appointed pastor of Michelson Memorial church, has moved, with his family, into the Alvin Goff house on Ogemaw street, arriving Tuesday. Mrs. Greenwood, who is recovering from a recent operation for appendix trouble, accompanied her husband and children here and stood the trip by auto fairly well.

Floyd McClain spent Sunday visiting his wife and family here.

Mrs. Daniel Hoesli left Tuesday for a few days visit in Bay City.

Mrs. P. P. Mahoney of Bay City visited in Grayling Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Ben Landsberg and Mrs. Hatie Colen returned Tuesday from Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McLeod of Riverview spent Wednesday in Grayling.

Mr. E. G. Clark, band master at Gaylord, was in Grayling Tuesday on business.

John Benore of Bay City is back at his old stand as barber at the Cowell barber shop.

A new stock of Satin Boudoirs, Mules and Felt and leather slippers have just arrived at Olson's.

Mrs. John McCann of St. James, Beaver Island, is visiting at the home of her son, Dr. C. J. McCann.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Johnson and family of Saginaw spent Sunday visiting at the Alex LaGrow home.

Children's Dresses, from Creepers to 14 years. Full line at the Economy Store next to Opera House.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kolka are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy, Kenneth Edward, born May 13.

Mr. John Zeder returned Friday from Bay City, where she visited for a few days with friends and relatives.

Miss Helen Babbitt, clerk at the Cooley & Cooley store, has been enjoying a few days vacation from her duties.

Miss Michelyn Amborski, registered nurse at Mercy hospital, is spending a few days with her parents in Gaylord.

Miss Myrtle Bunker, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Carl Smith, returned to her home in Wolverine last Friday.

Holger Hanson of the Try It cafe is driving a new Nash sedan, purchased from our local dealer, T. E. Douglas.

Mr. I. M. Smith and wife and H. C. Smith of Flint spent the week end visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Smith.

Mrs. Marguerite Rau, who has been visiting at the Landsberg home, returned to her home in West Branch Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peterson and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Ross visited Mr. and Mrs. Guy Peterson and family at Johannesburg Tuesday.

Mrs. Foster and Miss Havens will appreciate it if you make your appointment for a permanent wave early. Remember the date, May 25 and 26. Phone 55. Shoppenagon Inn.

The Grayling high school baseball team met defeat Tuesday in their second game of the series when they were defeated by a score of 15 to 12 by Roscommon high school. Although the weather was none too pleasant, the locals were accompanied by many rooters. The game was a good one to watch, each side trying their best to win. Battery for Grayling was Fenton and Brady.

Rev. Fr. J. J. Culligan was called to Grand Rapids by the critical illness of his mother Monday, and word received by friends here since brought the message of her death that occurred Wednesday morning. The deceased had been ill for a long time and Monday was stricken with paralysis. When Fr. Culligan began his pastorate of St. Mary's church his mother spent a number of weeks here, so that she became quite well known to many.

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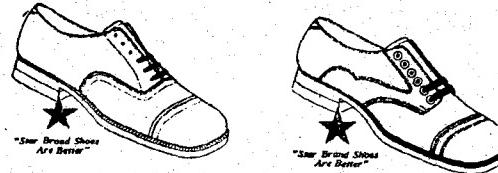
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OF THE AVALANCHE OF 25 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, May 22, 1902

The Knights of Pythias issued invitations this week for one of their pleasant social functions, the event to occur on Tuesday evening, May 20th. Clark's orchestra from Grayling is to furnish the music, and a fine banquet will be served.—Otsego Co. Herald.

Dr. S. N. Inslay drives out a new carriage that is a beauty as well as comfortable.

Nels Michelson took a ride with us one day last week to look over the stock at Riverside ranch.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. L. W. Colter tomorrow, Friday afternoon.

H. H. Woodruff was appointed by the court to defend Paul Jock, tried for placing impediments on the railroad track. He was acquitted.

Hon. M. J. Connine of Oscoda, Hon. W. Trotter and W. Boyd, of Kalkaska, and H. Woodruff of Roscommon are foreign attorneys engaged in court here this week.

Rev. S. Stevens is the latest arrival in this section, he and his family locating on the Burt Thayer farm in Center Plains. He is the son of Rev. L. Stevens of Gerrish township, and it is with pleasure we extend the glad hand to this worthy couple.—Roscommon News.

Died—At her home in this town, Saturday, May 17th, Lovina J., wife of Wesley Shellenberger, aged 38 years. Deceased leaves her husband and two children to mourn her death, though they, with many friends are glad that the suffering, which has been hers for more than a year past, is ended.

H. Joseph has realized that additional capital would allow large expansion of his already prosperous business, and a corporation, "The Grayling Mercantile Company," succeeds him, with himself at the helm.

Mrs. Willett was called to Tuscola county last week by the serious illness of her father.

Mrs. Charron has moved into his new house, which was built by Louis Terry, a neat and quick carpenter.

John Hagertry has returned from Dunville, Ontario, where he went to attend the funeral of his nephew, who was instantly killed in a moulding furnace, by accidentally touching an electric wire while a storm was on.

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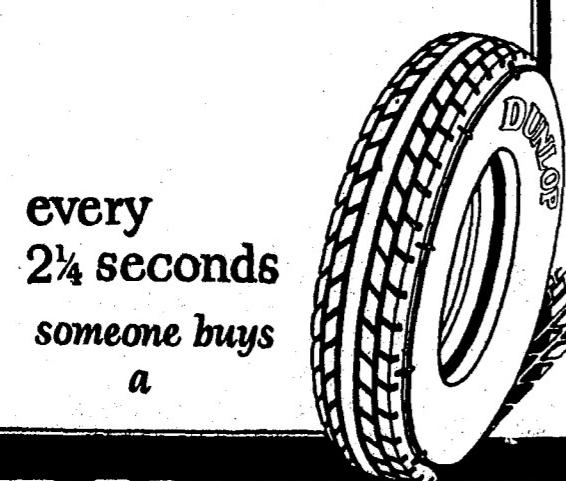
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Pass Bill Requiring Hunters to Get
Permission of Farm Owners

dangerous insects and fruit diseases, also by Sen. Barnard, a truth-in-fruit juice bill to require honest labeling of soft drinks purporting to be fruit juice; by Rep. John F. Eads of Eagle, bill authorizing the Governor to enter into a new contract with the Grand Trunk railroad regarding the right of way for the wider Woodward Avenue project between Birmingham and Pontiac; a bill by Rep. Geo. Watson of Capac, limiting the axle load of heavy trucks; and a bill by Sen. Howard F. Baxter of Grand Rapids repealing 140 acts or parts of acts constituting 715 sections of law which have become obsolete or inoperative.

Lansing, May 14.—The record of another session of the Legislature has been written and the lawmakers have returned home to face their constituents. The Senators and Representatives can offer as convincing proof of their unselfish, earnest devotion to duty the fact that they stayed in session longer than any other Legislature in many years, despite the fact that they receive a flat salary of \$800 per two year term no matter how much or how little lawmaking they do.

During the final days of the session the solons approved a proposed constitutional amendment providing that the pay of a member of the Legislature would be \$300 per day during the period for which elected. This looks reasonable enough to win the approval of the voters when submitted in November, 1928. It is interesting to note, however, that the straight wage of \$300 per day would amount to \$2,190 per two-year term.

Appropriations Totals in Doubt

As is the usual case, the closing hours of the session were devoted largely to an effort to reach an agreement between the Senate and House as the terms of many of the more important appropriation measures. Just how many millions the law-making finally appropriated and what amount will be spread on the tax roll for the next two years as a result of their action cannot be stated definitely until a careful check has been made of the final figures embodied in each of a multitude of budget bills.

A feature of the last week of the session was the failure of the Senate and House to reach an agreement regarding the terms of the capital punishment bill. A compromise report prepared by a conference committee of Senators and Representatives was approved by the House by a majority of more than 2 to 1, but was rejected by the Senate by a vote of 10 to 20. The Representatives insisted that no referendum clause be tacked on to the bill while the Senators were equally determined in their views that the death penalty should not be restored to Michigan statute books without the approving action of the voters.

Then, too, the House wanted to leave it discretionary with the trial judge as to whether the sentence for any case of first degree murder should be the death penalty or life imprisonment. The Senators wanted to make the electric chair mandatory upon conviction for first degree murder. Upon several other important points there was great diversity of opinion between the two branches of the Legislature. Although the measure perished by the wayside, it came far nearer passage than it had ever done in previous sessions.

The lawmakers added considerable volume to the sum total of their enactments for the session when they approved the new school code, a bill of 324 pages prepared by the Superintendent of Public Instruction and introduced by Sen. Norman B. Horton of Fruit Ridge. This bill repeals and replaces by one orderly law more than 100 disjointed and confusing statutes relative to educational matters.

Aid Poorer School Districts
Another school bill of no little interest passed during the final week was the Turner bill appropriating \$1,000,000 a year from the general fund of the state as special aid to the more needy school districts. This would be distributed on the same basis as embodied in the Bohn bill passed two years ago, setting aside 5 per cent of the primary school fund for this purpose. The Bohn bill has been held up by the courts and none of the special aid which it had provided has been distributed.

Of far reaching interest to both farmers and sportsmen is the passage of the Horton-Brake bill which requires all hunters to obtain the permission of the owner or lessee before entering upon farm land or farm woodlots connected therewith. This measure relieves the farmer of the necessity of posting and places the burden of responsibility upon the hunter.

Included among the appropriations passed by the Legislature last week was the regular budget bill for the State Department of Agriculture. It contained the usual item of \$250,000 a year for the payment of state indemnities on condemned and slaughtered tubercular cattle. In view of the Detroit milk ordinance which will forbid the sale of any milk in Detroit after January 1, 1928, which does not come from herds accredited under state and federal supervision, many Michigan dairymen, especially in the Detroit milk market area, requested that an extra \$100,000 be granted to meet this emergency. The Governor assured them that their situation would be taken care of by the state administrative board without any special action on the part of the Legislature.

Replace Tax Department
The complete reorganization of the state machinery regarding assessment and equalization of property for tax purposes was indicated when the Legislature gave its final approval to a bill by Rep. Wm. J. Thomas of Grand Rapids, providing for the replacement of the present state tax department with a state tax commission. It is generally expected that when the new commission is established, Mr. George Lord of Detroit, present chairman of the tax department will not be numbered among those made happy by an appointment. It is also said that the rural counties will receive more sympathetic attention regarding assessment and equalization matters at the hands of the new commission.

Among the minor measures of general interest to receive final approval during the closing days of the session were the following: A bill by Sen. Phillip O'Connell of McGregor, providing for the payment of bounties on coyotes, wolves and wildcats; a measure by Sen. George S. Barnard of Benton Harbor, establishing a new law relative to the importation and spread within the state of certain

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Look close at the very point of the island. Do you see that long-legged bird standing like a statue? Not a movement! Then like a flash, the head shoots down and up again with a kidding frog in its bill.

Is there or can there be anything that calls more than the call of the outdoors in the spring?

Then, too, this is the time when you begin to look forward to your summer outings and vacations; your motor trips through unknown country, with your camping outfit on the running board, ready to be set up wherever the fancy strikes you.

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